## **PATENT**

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## **AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE FIRST OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

In reply to the first Office Action, dated April 9, 2007, please amend the aboveidentified patent application as indicated on the following pages: